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A RESOLUTION to honor Roxie Mathison for her outstanding service to Davidson County.

WHEREAS, the General Assembly finds it appropriate to recognize those individuals who have performed their duties for the betterment of their various communities; and

WHEREAS, Roxie Fleming Mathison is one such outstanding individual who has enjoyed her many years of public service to Davidson County; and

WHEREAS, this exemplary self-starter recently retired from Metro Government, where she served as Assistant Director of the Council Staff Office and in various other capacities; and

WHEREAS, her outstanding career displays a superlative record of service, as she proudly served in the administrations of four of Nashville's mayors: Tom Cummings, Ben West, Sr., Judge Beverly Briley and Richard Fulton. She currently serves as a volunteer for Mayor Phil Bredesen; and

WHEREAS, following her retirement from Metro, Mrs. Mathison became property manager for Magnolia Square Condos and Apartments, where she served for 8 years; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Mathison has participated in community service organizations locally and around the state, lending her insight and initiating actions that have contributed to the growth of Davidson County and Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, a native of Putnam County, Mrs. Mathison was educated at a private Christian school in Tennessee and subsequently attended two business colleges and UT-Nashville's Continuing Education Program; and

WHEREAS, she is an active member of Two Rivers Baptist Church where she evinces her robust faith in the Lord. Mrs. Mathison also serves on the Welcoming Committee and in the Prayer Warrior Program; and

WHEREAS, since November of 1993, Mrs. Mathison has meritoriously served as

Assistant Executive Director of Donelson Hermitage Chamber of Commerce, diligently working to promote and enhance trade in Donelson; and

WHEREAS, she enjoys the love that she shares with her two sons, Mike and William Mathison, and her 5 grandchildren; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby commend Roxie Fleming Mathison for the superlative service that she has rendered to the city of Nashville and wish her success in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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